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Comments: As a native of Arizona, born and raised in San Manuel I am well aware of the risks associated with Mining. When BHP shutdown their operations in my hometown, there were many issues that had to be dealt with because of the companies start-up procedures and promises in the early 50's. Issues like those have been evaluated before the start of the Hermosa Project and won't be a problem at the mines end of life.

Then there's the jobs that will be available, not only for the employees of the mine but all the other companies that support the project, I see many things here at the informational meeting, things like impact to the environment but there is nothing here to show impact on the financial opportunities for the families working for the mine or companies that support the project! The younger people today are seeing that its much harder to support themselves let alone a family on the commercial jobs in the cities.

I fully support South 32 and want them to succeed!

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